



## Understanding Water Baptism

ROMANS 6:4

Therefore we were buried with Him through baptism into death, that just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, even so we also should walk in newness of life. KJV

For we died and were buried with Christ by baptism. And just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glorious power of the Father, now we also may live new lives. NLT

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Acts 2:38; 10:44-48; Matt 28:19

Three things for every baptism:

Baptizer  
Element  
Candidate

1. What reason did Jesus Himself give for being baptized  
Mark 16:16; Matt 3:15
2. Understanding Water Baptism  
Matt 28:19; Mar 16:16  
2 Cor 5:14    Dead to sin, Dead to Self and Dead to the old life
3. Why Christians Should Be Water Baptized  
Matt 28:19    Command  
1 Pet 3:21    Mark of Good Conscience  
Matt 3:13-17    Jesus was  
Col 2:11-12    Kind of Circumcision  
Acts 2:41;    Foundational Doctrine  
10:47-48  
Rom 6:1-11    Outward Confession
4. Water Baptism Does Not Save Us  

**ONLY JESUS BLOOD DOES**

Rom 6:4	Buried
Rom 6:5	Resurrected
Gal 2:20	No longer I who lives
Matt 28:19	Act of obedience
John 14:15	Keep my commandments
Matt 10:32	Confess me before men
Rom 6:4-5	The process
5. Spiritual Significance Of Water Baptism  
1 Cor 15:1-4

6. The Form Of Baptism

John 3:23; Acts 8:38; Rom 6:4; Col 2:12

Into the Water – Death

Under the Water – Burial

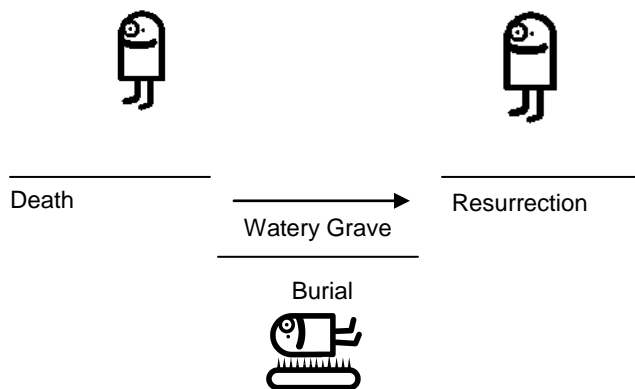
Out of the Water – Resurrection

7. Our Identification With Christ

Matt 28:19; Mark 16:15-16 Baptism is a public testimony to the world

Matt 10:32-33 Baptism is a public confession of Christ as our savior

### Down into the water



8. Baptismal Formula

Matt 28:19 Trinity of God

9. A Sign To The World

1 John 5:8 Three witnesses on earth to our salvation

10. Believers follow Christ when they are baptized and they should walk in the newness of life

Rom 6:4; Col 2:12

11. What does Jesus expect us to do now (after baptism)

Matt 28:19-20